

**State Representative District 37  
Bryce Edgmon-Democrat**

**Statement:**

I look forward to again representing, the Aleutian Islands, Alaska Peninsula and Bristol Bay, with the addition of several new communities in the lower Interior Region.

I'm optimistic about what we can achieve in the next two years. However, there are going to be challenges ahead as the state enters into an extended period of deficit spending. Subsequently, I will use my experience in the legislature to do everything possible to protect our district from budget cuts.

The biggest issue we face is the rising cost of goods and services, especially energy. We must continue to pursue long-term solutions that benefit rural Alaska, including a natural gas pipeline. In the meantime, existing services must be kept intact. That's why I support expanding PCE and maintaining funding for programs like Weatherization, Heating Assistance, and the Renewable Energy Grant Fund.

Strong capital budgets are critical to the future of rural Alaska. I strongly support the funding of basic services and creating economic opportunities and jobs at the local level.

Our future depends on quality education for our children. It is essential to keep the K-12 funding formula at a level that will enable smaller schools to keep pace with ever-increasing costs and uncertainty in annual student enrollments. I do not support amending the Alaska constitution so state money can be used for private schools.

With your support this fall, it will be my privilege to continue serving in the Alaska legislature on behalf of the communities in House District 37.

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**Qanellra:**

Ataam cumigtua nangengqaciqngama ikayurluci, Aleutian Island-aarmiut, Alaska Peninsula cali Bristol Bay-rmiut, ilaluku qavcin nutarat nunat lower Interior Region-aami.

Ciunerkaput ukveqaqa qaqiciillerkamtenek malrugni allrakugni. Taugaam arenqiallugutet ciunemteni pugciqut state-apat itran nengumalriamek sassami igtellrat akit atullritnun. Kingumek aturciqaqa elitellrenka alerquisteni tamarmeng aulukellrit nunaput waken qaill' akit atullrit kepellrat-llu.

Angenqerruluku arenqiallugun caumakput mayullrit akiit neqet cali kevgiurviit, arcaqerluku kenurraq. Caliaqarkaугaput takellriit caarkat atawaqerkait nunacuaraat Alaska-mi, ilakluku pilillrat yuut kaassam cuplurvia. Waniwa, maa-i kevgiurviit taqumaarkaугut. Taumek cingumakenka anglillrat PCE-t cali qelekluki akit quyurtellrit canun pilillerkait makunek Weatherization (enet kitugtellerkait aulukellrat, naullerkait cali akitussiyaanritellrat kenurait, Heating Assistance (kiircautem ikayuutii), cali ataam aturyugngallrat kenuram akian akit quyurtellrat.

Tuknilriit cat aturyulput arcaqertut ciunerkamtenun nunacuarni Alaska-mi. Tuknilriamek cingumaaqa akingutlerkait capernailngurnun kevgiurvignun cali pingevkarluki ellmeggnek caliangellrat cali calianek nunait uitaviatni.

Ciunerkaput tusngauq assirluki elitnaullerkaat irniamta. Qununarqut K-12-aam akii quyurtellrit naaqtumi uitalriami piyunarqevkarluki mikellriit elitnaurviit ayuqevkarluki tumait mayurturalriit akiatnun cali ukvernarqenrilngurnek allrakuaqan elitnaurat naaqtaitnek. Cingumanritaqa kitugtellrat Alaska-m alerquutai state-am akii aturluki allakaumalrianun elitnaurvignun.

Ikayuquvcia uksuaqu, piyugteqlua wiinga ikayurciqamci Alaska-m legislature-aarani ikayurluki nunaput House District 37-aami.